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A SOLDIER'S PASTIME

(Original.)

We will call the general X., and his aid, to whom he was very much attached, we will call Hoyt. The younger had a devil may care way with him and the impudence of Satan. It was one of Hoyt's duties to take charge of the general's private purse, and any moneys received or expended went through the young aid-de-camp's hands.

One night the general left his tent without an attendant to go the "grand rounds." It was long after "taps," and lights were out in the tents of the men and there were few in those of the officers. When the general was returning from his tour he noticed a light in one of the tents and by his staff and heard a voice say, "Raise you twenty." It was evident that there was a party within playing poker. The general sang out, "Grand rounds!" and immediately appeared at the tent flap. Inside sat Hoyt, with three other members of the staff, gambling with dollar bill greenbacks in lieu of chips.

All rose, standing respectfully, waiting the expected rebuke.

"Lieutenant Hoyt," said the general, "you will report for duty to the colonel of your regiment."

This being reduced from the position of an aid-de-camp to be second lieutenant in the line was a greater change than to be reduced from second lieutenant in the line to the ranks. Hoyt would no longer be on terms of equality with men far above him in rank, he would no longer know of doings at headquarters that generals would be glad to know. Instead of being mounted he would trudge along with the others a mere unit in an army. Nevertheless he accepted his fate without a murmur and in the morning reported to his colonel for duty.

Hoyt's place was supplied by Lieutenant Eben Bayless, who also succeeded to the general's private exchequer. Bayless was considered an extremely moral young man and soon won the general's entire confidence. He was never known to yield to the practice so common among the officers of the Union army—playing poker with greenbacks—and attended all religious services. Soon after his appointment as the general's confidential aid a paymaster came along with funds, and the general directed Bayless to make out his pay accounts and present them to him for signature. This was done and the money paid to Bayless.

It was at this time that the Confederates, just before daylight one morning, swooped down on the troops of General X., and there was a desperate fight, in which the headquarters baggage was captured by the enemy. After comparative quiet was restored Bayless went to the general with a lugubrious countenance and reported that the money, some \$800, which had come from the paymaster had gone to the impetuous Johnnies. General X., begged his aid not to distress himself, since such were the fortunes of war. Nevertheless the general was placed in financial difficulties by the loss.

The first official paper that caught General X.'s attention after the fight was a regimental order honorably mentioning Lieutenant Hoyt for gallantry during the recent fight. Then one evening when the general was sitting in a camp chair before his tent up comes Hoyt, with a pleasant smile, salutes respectfully and tells the general that he has heard of his loss and if the general will accept of a loan of the amount lost he will confer a favor on the lender, who considered himself under many obligations.

"Where did you get so much money, Billy?" asked the general.

"Won it at poker,"

"H'm!" grunted the general. "I'm much obliged for the offer, but I am not in the habit of borrowing from junior officers, especially money made in that way."

Hoyt saluted with unusual formality and took his leave. The general, caught by the boy's frankness and remembering his bravery, secretly regretted that he was not in his old position.

"The impudent young rascal!" he muttered. "That was just like him!"

The next night made the general commander of an army corps and Hoyt a first lieutenant, with another mention for bravery. Bayless' conduct during the engagement was criticised unfavorably. Hoyt was badly wounded and placed in hospital. As soon as the general heard of it he ordered his horse and went to see his former aid. As he was mounting his chief of staff approached him with a very serious look and a paper.

"General," said the officer, "I have received charges against Lieutenant Bayless for conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, the specifications being appropriating money and reporting that it had been captured with the headquarters baggage."

The scout on the general's face and the growl on his lips were ominous.

"Issue an order," he said, "suspending him from the staff pending trial and another detailing Billy Hoyt to his old position." Then, mounting, he rode away. He found his aid hovering between life and death.

"Billy," he said, bending over the boy, "I've ordered you detailed back on the staff. You may play poker every minute you're not on duty and draw on me for the funds."

Billy recovered. Bayless was convicted of appropriating not only a brother officer's, but the general's money to his own purposes.

"Boys will be boys," said the general. "Soldiers live a reckless life and will have reckless amusements. Poker is bad, but there are other things that are worse."

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FOR SALE—House and barn at Upper Graniteville, house of 11 rooms, has extra lot. Would rent for \$10. To be sold at a bargain price. Call on Frank Thibault, Upper Graniteville, 1224.

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